

	Half Term	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10 (GCSE)	Year 11 (GCSE)
Autumn Term 2024	1	What do we mean by community? Christianity, Humanism, Buddhism, Judaism, Community activities, shared rules, equality, consideration, mission statements. Why does a community need	Prejudice and discrimination Buddhism, Christianity, Hinduism, Islam, Humanism, Caste System, Gandhi, Malala, Malcolm X, Dalai Lama, Martin Luther King, Rosa Parks, Antisemitism, UN Declaration of Human Rights	What is crime and punishment? Christianity, Hinduism, Good and evil, reasons for crime, attitudes to law breakers, main aims of punishment, different types of crime suffering, treatment of prisoners, forgiveness.	Hinduism Beliefs and teachings Brahman, The Divine, Brahma, Vishnu, Shiva, deities, avatars, cosmology, atman, samsara, karma, moksha, personal virtue, sanatana dharma Hinduism Practices Worship, festivals, deities, teachers, yoga, pilgrimage, environment, cow protection, tree preservation, charities. Christianity – beliefs and teachings God, nature of	Theme E Religion, crime and punishment Crime and punishment, reasons for crime, aims of punishment, suffering, treatment f criminals, forgiveness, death penalty. Theme F Religion, human rights and social justice Social justice, human rights, religious freedom, prejudice, discrimination, wealth, poverty, exploitation.
	2	rules? Christianity, Humanism, Buddhism, Judaism, Islam, Five Precepts, Ten Commandments, utilitarianism, Good Samaritan, Two Great Commandments, Five Pillars of Islam.				
Spring Term 2025	3	Birth and coming of age ceremonies Sikhism, Islam, Christianity, Judaism, Mool Mantra, Baptism,	Environment and creation Christianity, Hinduism, Humanism, Buddhism, Aboriginal Creation, stewardship, dominion, scientific	Philosophy of religion Christianity, Humanism, Buddhism Plato, Descartes, First Cause theory, evolution, Freud, Marx, New Atheists, humanism.	God, Trinity, creation, crucifixion, resurrection, afterlife, sin, salvation. Christianity Practices Worship, prayer, baptism, holy communion, pilgrimage, festivals, local community, mission, persecution, poverty. Theme B Religion and life Origins, value of the world, environment, pollution, animals, abortion, euthanasia. Theme D Religion, peace and conflict Protest, war, nuclear war, Just War, Holy War, pacifism, victims of war.	Revision
		Brit Milah, Bar and Bat Mitzvah Symbols and sacred objects Sikhism, Islam, Christianity,				Exam dates - TBC
	4	Judaism, Buddhism, Hinduism A	theories, Greta Thunberg, David Attenborough, activism, endangered species.			Study of religion – Christian and Hindu beliefs, teachings and practices.
		Festivals				Study of Themes.
Summer Term 2025	5	Judaism, Christianity, Hinduism, Sikhism, Islam, Passover, Easter, Divali, Khalsa, Id ul Fitr	Peace and conflict Christianity, Judaism, Buddhism, Hinduism, Humanism The Golden	Religion and ethics Buddhism, Islam, Hinduism, Christianity, Judaism, Locke, Neitzsche, utilitarianism, runaway train, evil, artificial intelligence,		Two exam papers 50% = Christian and Hindu beliefs, teachings and practices.
	6	Holy books Islam, Sikhism, Christianity, Judaism, Humanism Qur'an, Guru Granth Sahib, Bible, Torah	Rule, Just War, Holocaust, Eightfold Path, pacifism, Desmond Tutu, Mother Theresa, terrorism.			50% = Study of themes. All Themes are taught from a Christian and Hindu perspective.